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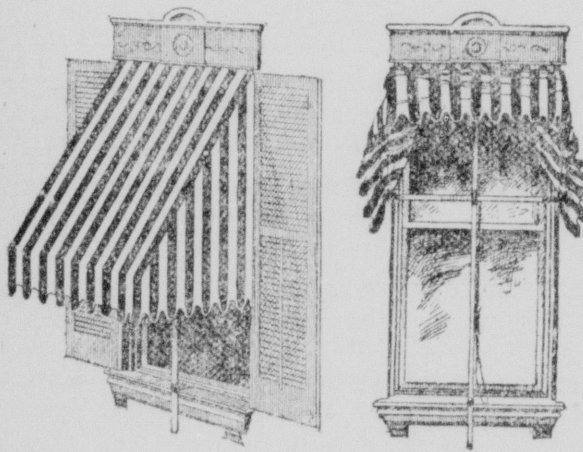
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—City council tonight.
—O. H. Brown is in Chicago.
—Good Templars meet tonight.
—J. P. Manges went to Oregon.
—Chas. Dement went to Oregon.
—Frank Wilson is up from Sterling.
—W. L. McAtee of Chicago is in town.
—Leonard Andrus went east this morning.
—J. H. Blodget is out from Chicago on a visit.
—C. M. Hedley returned home today from Sterling.
—Dorothy Order of the Eastern Star meets tonight.
—Forest Home Lodge, A. O. U. W., meets tonight.
—Anna Mullooly is a visitor at the Ed. Vail home.
—Benevolent Camp No. 841, M. W. A., meets tonight.
—Herbert Martin is home from Rockford for a few days.
—Geo. F. Reed and family are now residing at 411 Peoria ave.
—Judge J. D. Crabtree is on the bench in Ottawa this week.
—Herbert Hicks of Rockford is a visitor at the C. H. Noble home.
—F. W. Countryman agent for the Plano Harvester Co. is here today.
—Central Union Telephone 52 has been placed in Greig & Baum's work shop.

—The W. C. T. U. meets tonight with Mrs. W. H. Van Epps, 304 Dixon avenue.

—Peter O'Brian is visiting at the Mrs. Patrick O'Malley home on Peoria avenue.

—Freeport will have a street fair in connection with its Fourth of July celebration.

—Mr. Frank Rankin of South Dixon who has been seriously ill is on the mend now.

—Miss Anna Steel returned to Franklin Grove this morning after a visit at home.

—Mrs. F. L. Murray went to Waukegan today to see Mr. Murray's mother, who is very ill.

—Chas. Menton and Earnest Farand will go to Sterling to attend Hi Henry tonight.

—Nikola Kal one of our Syrian citizens is a plasterer and is now employed by Art Williams.

—Mrs. Will Lister has gone to Clinton, Iowa, to visit a couple of weeks with her parents.

—Lou Rosbrook has just purchased from H. U. Bardwell a \$75 set of brass mounted harness.

—W. H. Pease of Vinceton, N. J., arrived here yesterday and has signed for this season with our band.

—Miss Alice Horner who has spent the winter with her sister in Morrison has returned home to our city.

—Thomas Hedge, jr., and Henry Dodge of Burlington, Iowa, are visitors at the George H. Squires residence.

—Attorney Charles Barge entertained yesterday Burton Boyden of Sheffield and B. R. Peger of Sterling.

—Rev. L. J. Dismore of Chicago will preach at the Universalist church next Sunday on "the Religion of Jesus"

—We are pleased to be informed today by Dr. W. W. Wynn that the condition of Dr. H. E. Paine continues to improve.

—Our volunteer firemen were given a pretty practice run of a dozen blocks by Chief Detrick last evening. They did good work.

—Slain & Misman, contractors and builders, are erecting a seven room residence corner Crawford and Eighth \$1150 for Mrs. Margaret Robinson.

—All persons who have to make out personal property schedules will find it much better to have them filled out before returning them to the assessor.

—R. J. Bennett of Chicago, who has charge of the construction of a new tabernacle for the Assembly, was expected to arrive here today but was detained in the city on account of the death of a granddaughter.

—If you would be nicely entertained see the art exhibit by the children of the public schools at the white brick school house tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 4. Parents and members of the Phidian Art Club are especially expected.

—C. C. Jacobs took out the Inlet bridge last week in order that dredge could proceed with its work. The stone will be all removed within a few weeks, and then work will begin on the ditch east of Blinghamton—Amboy Journal.

CONTINUED GOOD NEWS.

Driving the Insurgents into Close Quarters.

SPECIAL TO THE TELEGRAPH.
MANILA, May 5.—General MacArthur's division of the American army in the Philippine Islands this morning advanced on San Fernando and captured the town without the loss of a man. The victory in capturing Apalit yesterday appears to have discouraged the Filipinos. The Insurgents before retreating set fire to the place and then vacated in haste.

It is thought that by capturing San Fernando the rebels are quite outflanked. They retreated from the heavy intrenchments as soon as Gen. Wheaton's troops got within fighting distance.

Happy Execution.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—There was a double hanging match here today when William Strather and Charles Wilson were executed. The affair was not public, only a few officials attended in the district jail. They both murdered women on account of jealousy and sang apparently in a happy manner as they marched to the scaffold.

UNDER THREE FLAGS.

War Drama Given at the Opera House Last Evening by Dixon Amateur Talent.

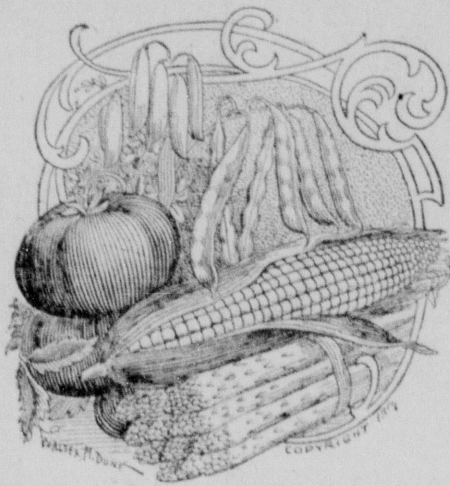
A fair attendance greeted the first performance of "Under Three Flags" by a Dixon cast of characters at the opera house last evening. It was given under the auspices of Company G, I. N. G., many of whose members saw service in Cuba and Puerto Rico. Considering this, they should have coached the cast somewhat in the pronunciation of Spanish proper names, for instance preventing Jose Sancho, the villain of the play, from being addressed as his name is spelled. However, a good American can be forgiven for such a slight omission—it's destined to become a dead language in this hemisphere. The parts were all well taken for amateurs, but few mistakes were made and the entire piece passed off smoothly. The first and second of the four acts were pleasantly divided by two up-to-date songs of sentiment by Master George Walker, a boy soloist of the Episcopal choir who is gifted with a clear and sweet soprano voice. The principal roles of the play were taken by Miss Gretel Amelia Lowe, as Cissy Fitz Morris, and J. A. Rice, as Capt. Bolton. They held the attention of the audience from start to finish. So, too, did the humorous characters of the Yankee by Will Suggitt, the "dark town coon" by Charles Eymann and the Irishman by D. W. Lovitt. The latter in comic song was very good. Other well-rendered parts were those of Miss Olive Devore Eby as Laura Wiley, Miss Lillian Lewis as Lola Masso, Robert Keith Bird as Jose Sancho, Lieut. S. Frisby as Dick Wiley, Frank Derr as Mr. Wiley, Charles Garrison as Harry Armstrong, Wilber Garrison in three separate characters and Oscar Metzler in two, Lieut. Del Rio being the principal one. On the whole the play was well sustained throughout and each one in the cast acquitted himself creditably repaying the hard work which Mr. Rice has put upon the piece. There will be a repetition of the play at the opera house this evening.

Hemminger-Bothe.

At eight o'clock last evening at the Lutheran parsonage, Rev. T. F. Dornblaser tied the knot that made Newton O. Hemminger and Elvina C. Bothe, husband and wife. The bride was dressed in white and carried a bouquet of handsome white roses. After the ceremony the young couple went to their home on West Chamberlain street. These young people have been in our city for sometime and have made a host of friends that join with THE TELEGRAPH in wishing the prosperity.

Gets Important Position.

Master Reginald Martin, the boy organist, who has paid Dixon several visits and performed in St. Luke's Episcopal church, has been appointed organist of the Church of the Assension in Chicago. He is now only 13 year of age and the youngest concert organist in the world. The appointment to such an important position reflects much honor on his musical ability and recognized talent and much credit upon his father, S. Wesley Martin, who has had entire charge of his training. The father has charge of the vested choir here.



Pie Plant!
Lettuce!
Radishes!
Asparagus!
Wax Beans!

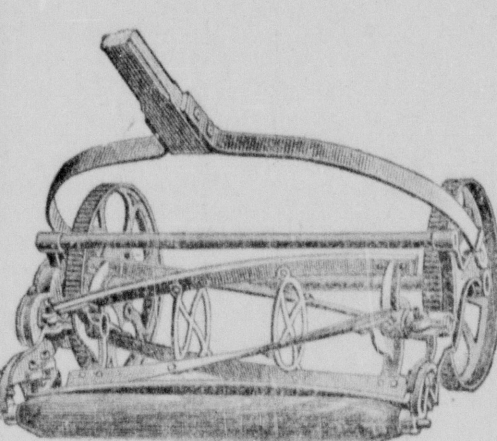
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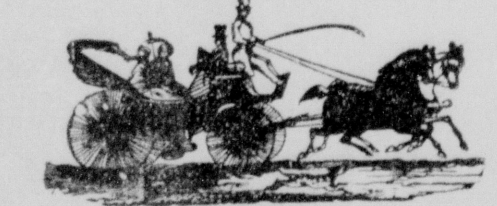
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SAN TOMAS NOW OURS

Gens. Wheaton and Hale Take It
After a Long and Hot
Engagement.

ADVANCING ON SAN FERNANDO.

Four of Our Men Killed—Sixteen
Wounded, Including Col.
Funston.

Rebels Put Up a Stubborn Resistance and
Their Loss is Very Slight—Account of
the Battle So Bravely Won—War De-
partment Well Satisfied with the News—
Object of Otis is to Head Off Aguinaldo's
Army from the Mountains.

Manila, May 5, 8:25 a. m.—In spite of
the peaceful overtures of their commis-
sioners, the Filipinos vigorously resisted
the advance of General MacArthur's
division from Apaya toward San Fer-
nando fighting desperately at long range,
after running from trench to trench
when driven out by the American ar-
tillery. The movement commenced at
5:30 in the morning. General Hale's
brigade, consisting of five battalions under
command of Major Young, of the
Sixth artillery; two battalions of the
Fifty-first Iowa regiment, the First
Nebraska regiment and the First Dak-
ota regiment, advanced along the
road a few miles west of the railway
line.

Much Marsh and Many Streams.
General Wheaton, with Hotchkiss
and Gatling guns, under the command
of Lieutenant Naylor, of the Utah Light
artillery mounted on handcars, pushed
ahead, the Twentieth Kansas and First
Montana regiments deploying to the
right and left when feasible. The coun-
try to be traversed proved the worst
yet encountered, miles of marshes and
many unfordable streams delaying the
advance materially. Both brigades met
with resistance simultaneously on ap-
proaching the river near San Tomas,
which is about eight kilometers from
Apaya. The center span of the railroad
bridge had dropped into the river, and
the rebels had only left a small force to
check General Wheaton, their main
body lining the strong trenches in front
of General Hale.

Rebels Offer a Stubborn Resistance.
Although the attacking forces poured
a very heavy artillery and musketry
fire across the river the enemy stub-
bornly resisted for over an hour, ulti-
mately breaking when Major Young
shelled their left flank and then retreat-
ing along the river bank under cover.
General Wheaton, in the meantime,
tried ineffectually to draw the fire of
the Filipinos in the trenches east of the
track. So soon as they discovered that
the nature of the country would per-
mit only a few skirmishes on each side
of the embankment the rebels regained
their courage and fought desperately
for three quarters of an hour, in the
face of the American volleys and a rapid
fire fusillade, until flanked by the Mon-
tana regiment. Then a general scramble
ensued, most of the enemy boarding
trains that were in readiness and the
others taking the road to San Fernando,
after burning the villages of San Tomas
and Minallin.

Our Loss Is Four Killed, Sixteen Wounded.
About noon General Wheaton crossed
the broken bridge, cleared the stragglers
out of the villages and advanced toward
San Fernando. General Hale effected a
crossing simultaneously, after a slight
delay necessary to repair a stone bridge.
Our loss up to that hour (noon) was
two members of the Nebraska regiment
and one of the Montana killed, and
Captain Elbrecht, three members of the
Fourth of the Nebraska and one of the
South Dakota wounded. The enemy's
loss was very slight. After a short
rest the advance was continued, Gen-
eral Wheaton encountering the first
series of entrenchments near San Fer-
nando. The rebels now opened a hot
fire. Colonel Funston, of the Twentieth
Kansas, was wounded, one lieutenant
was killed, and four were wounded
while leading four companies of the
Kansas regiment to outflank the enemy.
General Hale pushed along the road,
flanking the trenches.

WAR OFFICE LIKES THE NEWS.

Otis No Longer Talking Peace, but Moving
for a Decisive Battle.

Washington, May 5.—The war depart-
ment is satisfied from the dispatches re-
ceived from General Otis yesterday that
the American commander has put aside
the insurgent temporizing over peace,
and has turned his attention to most
aggressive tactics. This course is fully
approved by officials here, who have
foreseen that the rebels needed further
chastisement in order to bring them to
a realizing sense of their position. The
early dispatches from General Otis
clearly defined a general plan of his lat-
est movement. He is moving in two
main columns—Major General MacAr-
thur pushing straight forward over a
nine-mile stretch of country between
Calumpit and the latest rebel strong-
hold, San Fernando, and Major General
Lawton directing a strong force under
Colonel Sumner to prevent the insur-
gents from retreating from San Fer-
nando into the mountains to the north.
The latest dispatches showed there had
been hot work in the execution of this
movement, particularly in General Mac-
Arthur's advance on San Fernando. The
defeat of Luna at San Tomas and the
scattering of the insurgent forces leaves
MacArthur four miles from San Fer-
nando with a clear road before him.

The taking of towns is no longer
looked upon by the authorities here as
of chief moment, the main considera-
tion being to intercept the insurgents.
General Lawton's movement northward
yesterday to Maasin is designed to keep
a body of American troops to the north
of the rebels and between them and
their line of retreat to the mountains.
A successful execution of this move will
leave the insurgents well-nigh sur-
rounded on the north, though there is a
stretch of about seven miles from Ma-
asin to the Rio Grande river along which
the rebels are retreating. If the rebels do
succeed in getting into the mountains,
war department officials believe they

cannot continue organized resistance
as the mountain localities afford much
less opportunities for sustenance than
the rice lands along the foothills and
bottoms. The authorities here are well
satisfied with the manner in which our
forces are placed.

Germans Puzzled Over Samoan News.
Washington, May 5.—The navy de-
partment yesterday received a cable
from Admiral Kauz very much
butchered in the sending, but fully con-
firming the press dispatch that the
Mataafans had ceased from troubling.
An official statement is made at the
German embassy that strict instructions
were given to the German consul at
Apia to join with his colleagues, Ameri-
can and British, in a proclamation for
the suspension of hostilities until the
arrival of the Samoan commission. Un-
der these circumstances the officials are
at a loss to account for the press re-
ports that the Germans refused to join
in the proclamation, and are inclined
to attribute it to anti-German influ-
ences.

FRED GRANT'S DAUGHTER

Follows Her Aunt's Example and Will
Wed a Foreigner.

Chicago, May 5.—A cablegram from
Paris announces the engagement of
Miss Julia Grant, granddaughter of
General Grant, and Prince Michel
Cantacuzine, comte speransky of Rus-
sia.

General and Mrs. Fred Grant, who
are in Chicago, announced Wednesday
evening that they have given their con-



MISS JULIA GRANT.

sent to the marriage of their daughter
to the prince. They decline to be seen
and nothing further can be learned at
the residence of H. H. H. more, where
they are visiting. Nothing was given
out concerning the time or place where
the ceremony will take place.
Miss Grant, it is stated, met Prince
Cantacuzine in Rome three months ago.
Prince Cantacuzine, it is stated, is 2
years old and a lieutenant in the Im-
perial Guards. He is said to be the
possessor of vast estates in Russia.
Miss Grant is 23 years old.

FOUND HIS DEAD BODY.

Farmer Killed and Terribly Bruised by
an Infuriated Bull.

Nellville, Wis., May 5.—The finding
of the lifeless body of John Kubat in a
pasture near his home near this city
dispels the mystery of his disappearance
twenty-four hours earlier. It now ap-
pears that unknown to his family Kubat
went to the pasture to make needed
fence repairs and that while thus en-
gaged was attacked by a vicious bull
and killed in a desperate encounter.

That Kubat struggled heroically for his
life is evidenced by the fact that the
ground around a tree near which the
body was found is torn in a complete
circle by the hoofs of the infuriated bull
while close to the tree is a well-worn
path made by the old gentleman in his
efforts to escape. A coroner's inquest
reveals the fact that many bones are
broken and the body was crushed and
bruised in a fearful manner.

Wisconsin Legislature Is Done.

Madison, Wis., May 5.—Seven sen-
ators and fifteen assemblymen, includ-
ing Speaker Ray, stayed for the formal
close of the legislative session yester-
day. The governor sent in a veto of the
bill providing for the establishment of
county reformatories, and messages ap-
proving all the other measures passed
and in his hands. Just before the hour
of 12 arrived, roll was called in assembly
on the governor's veto. All the votes
cast were for sustaining it. Speaker Ray
announced that a quorum had not voted
and the bill was not passed.

Scores on the Ball Field.

Chicago, May 5.—Yesterday's League
scores were as follows: At Baltimore—
Philadelphia 10, Baltimore 6; at Brook-
lyn—Boston 10, Brooklyn 2; at Clevel-
and—Chicago 10, Cleveland 2; at Pitts-
burg—Louisville 4, Pittsburgh 3.
Western League: At St. Paul—Kan-
sas City 3, St. Paul 11; at Minneapolis—
Milwaukee 12, Minneapolis 11.

Gave Him \$11,500 for His Leg.

Madison, Wis., May 5.—A jury in the
circuit court rendered a verdict of \$11,
500 for Fred V. Baxter, of this city, a
Northwestern fireman who lost a leg
and was badly scalded in the round-
house explosion last June.

Knows How to Get Out of Debt.

Wichita, Kan., May 5.—Cullison, a
boom town of Pratt county, Kan., paid
off all indebtedness yesterday and made
a bonfire of the cancelled bonds. The
taxpayers raised the cash and bought
up the bonds.

Stricken Dead by Lightning.

Pana, Ills., May 5.—Charles Miller,
superintendent of the Pana Modern
Electric Light and Street Railway com-
pany, was killed at the company's plant
yesterday by lightning during a severe
storm.

Perry Heath Returns from Porto Rico.

Washington, May 5.—First Assistant
Postmaster General Perry S. Heath re-
turned yesterday from a month's thor-
ough trip of inspection in all parts of
the island of Porto Rico.

Gen. Eagan Goes to Honolulu.

San Francisco, May 5.—General
Charles F. Eagan, ex-commissionary gen-
eral of the United States army, sailed
yesterday for Honolulu on the steamer
Australia.

Must Be a Good Purchase.

Boston, May 5.—The Financial News
announces that total cash subscriptions
to the Amalgamated Copper company's
stock represents \$412,000,000.

STRIKE ULTIMATUM.

Shovelers at Buffalo Threaten to
Tie Up All the Lake
Business.

CLAIM TO HAVE A "SURE THING."

Will Stop the Wheels of Commerce from
Buffalo to Duluth Unless the Carriers'
Association Submits to the Union's De-
mands, and What They Are—Contractors
Must Go Is One—Progress of the Mil-
itary Campaign in Idaho.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 5.—The grain
shovelers and the freight handlers have
pronounced their ultimatum to the Lake
Carriers' association. At a mass meet-
ing yesterday afternoon it was an-
nounced amid great applause that un-
less the Lake Carriers' association ac-
ceded to demands of the men by today
noon the entire commerce of the lake
from Buffalo to Duluth would be tied
up. Between 2,000 and 3,000 men were
present.

Has a Cinch on the Situation.

The hall was filled, and a crowd stood
about the outside. The meeting was
addressed by John M. Hennessy, Pres-
ident P. J. McMahon, of the New
Shovelers' union; M. J. Foley, rep-
resenting the men employed in the el-
evators, and others. McMahon an-
nounced that the time had come when
the whole plan of the movement could
be made known. "We have everything
in our power," he said. "Unless the
Lake Carriers' association comes to our
terms by tomorrow at noon the com-
merce of the port of Buffalo and all
along the lakes will be tied up. We
have been working on this matter for
weeks, and know what we are doing.
If we want financial help we can get
all we need."

Contractors Will Have to Go.

He thanked the men for the good
judgment they had shown in keeping
quiet and orderly, and cautioned them
about getting into any trouble. In the
front of the hall were about 700 Poles,
members of the new Freight Handlers'
union, and their speech was translated
into Polish for them. M. J. Foley an-
nounced amid loud cheers that today
at noon every man now working in an
elevator would quit. "All we want is
what is fair," he said, "but we will
stand by you men to the end. The
coal handlers who have been serving
the lake carriers' vessels have a ready
quit work, the engine's will go out to-
morrow and the contractors will do no
more work on the docks in Buffalo."

Ultimatum as to Business.

The grain shovelers of the new local
No. 51, have formulated the following
as a statement of their position: First,
the abolition of the saloon boss sys-
tem; second, agreements directly with
the Lake Carriers' association, or with
the various elevators; third, payment
of the scoopers at the offices of the
elevators or at a business office like
those maintained by employers in other
reputable industries. The freight
handlers' effected an organization
Wednesday night. Resolutions were
adopted endorsing the position taken by
the grain shovelers. Another resolution
to the effect that the freight handlers
would stand by the grain shovelers and
refuse to work for the grain shoveling
contractors was adopted.

STRIKERS TO MEET DIFFICULTY.

Leader Says He Is Not with Them—Car-
riers Stand by the Contractors.

So at noon today, unless the grain
shovelers win their fight before then
all union men employed along the docks
in this city will quit work. That will
include the coal heavers, tallymen, sta-
tionary engineers, firemen and all other
men employed in the elevators, freight
houses and other establishments on the
docks. About 2,500 men will be af-
fected by this move, in addition to the
1,800 grain shovelers already on strike.

Henry C. Baiter, of Detroit, secretary
of the executive board of the Inter-
national Longshoremen's association,
who is in the city, has called a meeting
of the board for tomorrow, and an en-
deavor will be made by them to bring
about a settlement of the present trou-
ble. Should the effort prove fruitless
it is possible that all the Longshoremen
employed on the docks in the great
lake cities may be called upon to quit
work. Individually Baiter is opposed
to the strike of the grain shovelers
and upholds the contractors, but he
cannot speak for the board. Until ac-
tion is taken by the executive board
there will be no move made at outside
ports to aid the strikers.

Yesterday the situation was further
complicated by the refusal of some 700
freight handlers to go to work under
Contractor Connors. The men say that
they are not striking out of sympathy
for the grain shovelers, but in order to
get rid of the middle men or contractor
and secure an advance of wages from 5
to 35 cents an hour. An important
event yesterday was the unseating by
the United Trades and Labor council
of the delegates from old Scoopers' union,
N. 51. The action of the council
virtually makes all the men now work-
ing for the contractors non-union men.

The action of the Lake Carriers' as-
sociation in notifying Contractor Con-
nors that they would support him in his
fight has given considerable abstrusity
to the contractors. James Connors, of
Cleveland, president of the Lake Car-
riers' association, arrived in the city
last night, and in an interview stated
that the association intended to stick
by Connors, and in case it should be-
come apparent that he is unable to ful-
fill his contract and unload all the
grain sent to this port the grain will
be shipped to Cleveland, Erie and down
the St. Lawrence by the Canadian canal
route. The only effect of the strike
said Connors, if it is continued, will be
to destroy Buffalo's grain shipping in-
terests.

AUTHORITIES CLASH AT PANAMA.

Sheriff Enters Suits Against the Militia
Officers and Gov. Tanner.

Pana, Ills., May 5.—As a result of
the arrest of Sheriff Downey and his chief
deputy, Doyle, yesterday morning by a
detail of militia and the taking of their
arms by orders of Captain Couch, Cor-
oner T. L. Bradley has served two writs
of replevin on Couch. Coroner Bradley

also served papers for \$5,000 damage in
a suit of Sheriff D. Downey against Col-
onel J. S. Culver, Captain E. H. D. Couch,
Frank Simmons, C. B. Simeral, and
Charles Richardson, and papers in a
damage suit for \$5,000 of Deputy Sheriff
Doyle against Colonel Culver, Captain
Couch and Frank Simmons. All the
defendants are connected with the state
militia, and the charges are trespass.
Sheriff Downey, also, in the circuit
court last night before Judge Farmer
instituted a suit for injunction against
Governor Tanner, Adjutant General
Reece, Colonel Culver, Captain Couch
and the state militia, restraining them
from in any way interfering with the
sheriff or civil authorities in the per-
formance of their legal duties. It is
generally believed that Judge Farmer
will grant the injunction.

William Baldwin, special watchman
at the Springside mine, with a detail of
four soldiers, marched to the home of
John Kokendeifer, a wealthy farmer
two miles from the city limits, forced
an entrance and searched the house for
arms. As a result the daughter of
Kokendeifer is prostrated and fears are
entertained for her life. Kokendeifer
came to the city and made complaint
against Baldwin, who was arrested and
heavily fined.

IDaho RIOTERS' STRONGHOLD.

Troops Ordered to Canon Creek and Mul-
lan to Make Arrests.

Wardner, Ida., May 5.—The troops are
continuing the search for the rioting
strikers and a number have been placed
under guard. General Merriam, At-
torney General Hays and United States
Marshal Ramsay have arrived here. A
detachment of troops has been ordered
to Canon Creek and Mullan, the strong-
holds of the enemy, and with them will
go a number of non-union miners who
will try to identify the dynamiters. It
is feared that the desperate men will
give battle before they will give in to
the officers.

Wallace, Ida., May 5.—The hegra
from Canon county still continues. Men
are going out over the mountains as
well as by train. The snow on the moun-
tains is ten feet deep and very soft. It
will probably take from two to four days
to go from Burke to the railroad in
Montana. The Hecla mine closed down
yesterday, as there are no men to work
it. Other mines were running short of
men, though suffering less than the
Standard or the Erlsco. No new men
are coming yet, but they are expected
daily from Butte, where the Coeur
d'Alene men are mostly going.

Four hundred United States troops
are on guard in the Coeur d'Alene min-
ing district and martial law is in full
force in Shoshone county, Ida. Brig-
adier General H. C. Merriam has de-
manded, if possible, the arrest of all
those implicated in blowing up the
Bunker Hill and Sullivan mine. Every
avenue of escape from the Coeur d'Alene
district is guarded by one or more com-
panies of troops. One hundred and twen-
ty-eight men accused of participating
in Saturday's riot have been arrested
and are under guard of United States
troops near the railroad station here.
General Merriam has established a
strict censorship over the telegraph of-
fice here and nothing is allowed to go
out regarding the plans for the arrest
of the remaining suspects. The taking
of testimony in the coroner's inquest
over the bodies of Smith and Cheyne,
who were shot and killed by the mob
Saturday last, was commenced yester-
day.

Wallace, Ida., May 5.—Two troops of
cavalry came here yesterday and ar-
rested practically every man in town.
They were taken to Wardner last even-
ing.

Mine Scale Case Arbitrated.

Springfield, Ills., May 5.—The state
board of arbitration last night decided
the Chicago and Alton sub-dist let case,
fixing the mining price at 35 1/2 cents per
ton, run of mine, a reduction of 4 1/2
cents on the Springfield scale. The
board recommends that the rental of
company houses be reduced 20 per cent.,
the store order system be abolished and
cash paid for wages. These changes
will be equivalent to an additional 2 1/2
cents per ton.

Manuel Wins the Derby.

Race Track, Louisville, May 5.—Manuel
won the Kentucky Derby by one
length: Corsine, second; Mazo, third.
Time, 2:12.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Lord Rosebery has taken issue against
Sunday papers in England.

The only Buddhist temple outside the
Orient was formally dedicated at Phila-
delphia Wednesday.

The body of Hiram F. Marvin, who
disappeared from his house at Chicago
March 11, was found in the lake.

Owing to the drought Mexican planters
have suffered much loss, being unable
to carry on planting to the fullest ex-
tent.

The betrothal of Princess Margaret
of Connaught to Prince Frederick Wil-
liam, son of Prince Albert of Prussia, is
announced.

Baron von Kardorff proposes to stamp
out socialism in Germany by depriving
active Social Democrats of the franchise
for five years.

Milwaukee's health commissioner has
recommended that the city establish a
dairy where mothers may get pure milk
for their babies.

The beautiful granite monument
erected by the state of Kentucky in
Chickamauga park was dedicated with
imposing ceremonies.

Everett Claer was held to the circuit
court at Watertown, Wis., on a charge
of carrying keys designed to open locks
of buildings and rooms.

A body was found in Dead Man's
slough, not far from Stoddard, Vernon
county, Wis. The man that found it be-
lieved the skull was crushed.

Major H. J. McGrath, of Eau Claire,
Wis., has gone to New York and sails
on the 13th for Manila, via Suez, under
orders from the war department.

Richard Harding Davis, writer, and
Ceil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John
Marshall Clark, of Chicago, were mar-
ried at St. Gabriel's chapel, Marion,
Mass., yesterday.

An examination of the books of J. E.
Wisconsin, ex-county treasurer of Ar-
gentine, Kan., discloses a shortage of
between \$20,000 and \$25,000. Wisconsin
disappeared last week.

The order of the Chicago authorities
refusing flower peddlers permission to
keep stands on the sidewalks in the
downtown district has paralyzed the
Chicago flower market.

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Any Person Can be Very
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They are not at all bad to take and
are conveniently put up in wooden
boxes so that you can carry them in
your pocket and use them while at
work. You do not have to stop work
while using Kidneoids. They have
done a great deal of good for a vast
number of people here in Dixon. We
have given you the names and address-
es of those people from time to time
and again refer you to Wm. Bennett,
the carpenter.

"I have suffered a great deal with a
pain in my back and head and also suf-
fered from urinary trouble, the dis-
charges of the urine being very irregu-
lar and at times very painful. I did
not sleep well on account of the pain in
my back and nervousness; my general
health was in bad shape and I felt bad
all over. Morrow's Kidneoids were
recommended to me and I got a box
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relief from headache, backache and
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but received only temporary relief, but
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nent relief."

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undergoing horrible operations that
simply remove the results of the dis-
ease without disturbing the disease
itself. Place your confidence in De-
Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. It has
never failed to cure others; it will not
fail to cure you. Rowland Bros.

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Sore and swollen joints, sharp, shoot-
ing pains, torturing muscles, no rest,
no sleep. That means rheumatism. It
is a stubborn disease to fight but
Chamberlain's Pain Balm has con-
quered it thousands of times. It will
do so whenever the opportunity is of-
fered. Try it. One application re-
lieves the pain. For sale by Rowland
Bros.

If you suffer from tenderness or full-
ness on the right side, pains under
shoulder-blade, constipation, bilious-
ness, sick-headache and feel dull, heavy
and sleepy your liver is torpid and
congested. DeWitt's Little Early Ris-
ers will cure you promptly, pleasantly
and permanently by removing the con-
gestion and causing the bile ducts to
open and flow naturally. They are
good pills.

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Marian Kooke, manager for T. M. Thompson, a large importer of fine millinery at 1658 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, says of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy: "During the late severe weather I caught a dreadful cold which kept me awake at night and made me unfit to attend my work during the day. One of my milliners was taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a severe cold at that time, which seemed to relieve her so quickly that I bought some for myself. It acted like magic and I began to improve at once. I am now entirely well and feel very pleased to acknowledge its merits." For sale by Rowland Bros.

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Banquet of the Loyal Legion Addressed by the War Secretary, and Generals King and Breckinridge—Preparation for War a Necessity—Remarks About the Boys of '61—Brief Message from the President to the Michigan Legion.
Detroit, May 5.—Secretary of War Alger left for Chicago at 11:30 last night. Today he will meet the members of the Chicago drainage commission to consult in reference to the question as to whether Lake Michigan shall be tapped to assist in carrying off the drainage of the city via the drainage canal. General Alger is accompanied only by Mrs. Alger and by his private secretary, Victor Mason, of Washington. The general was one of the speakers of the evening last night at the fifteenth annual banquet of the Michigan commandery, Order of the Loyal Legion, in the Hotel Cadillac. There were present 200 of General Alger's comrades, officers of the civil war. Responding to calls for a speech, the secretary said:

No Complaints from Manila.
"I am glad to be here among my old comrades who know what war is, and can appreciate its difficulties and drawbacks, and I know you are thinking tonight of our soldiers in far-off Manila, and thinking of them with pride. I assure you that while they have had many hardships incident to the tropical climate, etc., there has been not one complaint from that army of 2,000 men. They have taught the world that to face an American army is to face that which is invincible.

Need of Preparation for War.
"We have learned during the past year the necessity to be prepared for war. Our soldiers landed in Cuba the 22nd of June, and on the 17th of July more of the enemy surrendered to them than there were of them. There is bound to be privation and sufferings in the field. Some people thought the soldiers were not well treated, and made much of the fact that some of the beef spoiled; but the boys didn't murmur. I hope that these things have taught us to always be prepared for emergencies. We cannot look far into the future, but we believe that what is governed by a hand higher than ours will be for the best.

Flag Will Stay Where It Flies.
"I trust that our flag, wherever it has been placed, will never be hauled down. We are going to stay in those far-off islands with our forces until those people are able to govern themselves. The president said to me, 'Give those Michigan compatriots my love.' Let us drink to the health of Companion McKinley. Good night and God bless you." The toast was drunk standing.

SPEAKS OF THE BOYS OF '61.
Gen. King ridicules the complaints of soldiers in the Cuban Campaign.
"The Republic and the Men Who Saved It" was responded to by General Horatio C. King, of New York. Alluding to recent national events he asserted that the country was expanding until he wouldn't wonder if we owned the earth. "But," added the general, "the boys of '61 are no back numbers. The boys of '61 did grand things at Santiago, but if we of '61 had done no more fighting than that we would have hardly a half column in the newspapers. The people will never forget the boys of '61 and their succession of mighty victories."

General King ridiculed the complaints of some of the younger generation of soldiers regarding lack of conveniences in the Cuban campaign. He declined to call them sufferings, for he denied there were any remarkable sufferings caused by lack of supplies and equipments. The civil war death losses were 12 1/2 per cent, against 1 1/2 per cent in the Spanish war. "But," said he, "the boys of '61 met every emergency they were called upon to meet. All honor to them!"

Inspector General Breckinridge, responding to calls, eloquently commended the achievements of the soldiers of the Spanish and Philippine wars. He said that the qualities of the soldiers and of the cause for which they fought was such that the results were as complete an illustration of gallantry as America had ever sent forth, no matter how many men were lost compared with other wars. Concluding General Breckinridge paid a glowing tribute to President McKinley.

Hall Adali Loses a Bout.
Milwaukee, May 5.—Hall Adali, the Turkish wrestler, lost his match with Jack Carkeek, of Wisconsin, ex-champion of the world. According to agreement the Turk was to throw his man three times, wrestling a bout each of catch-as-catch-can, Graeco-Roman and Cornish styles in ninety minutes. The Turk won the catch-as-catch-can and Graeco-Roman in 66 1/2 minutes. When time was called for the Cornish contest, the sultan's lion did not make his appearance, the referee awarding the match to Carkeek.

Missouri's Tax on Beer.
Jefferson City, Mo., May 5.—Governor Stephens signed the Farris beer inspection bill yesterday. It provides for the inspection of all beer sold in the state and an inspection fee of 1 cent on each gallon and 2 cents for labelling each package. The bill is expected to produce \$500,000 revenue for the state annually.

Fitz and Jeffries to Fight at Denver.
Denver, Colo., May 5.—Manager Otto C. Floto, of the Colorado Athletic association, last night received a telegram from Brady and Julian, representing Jeffries and Fitzsimmons, accepting his offer and agreeing to fight in Denver. His offer includes a purse of \$25,000.

Jones a Candidate for Governor.
Toledo, May 5.—Mayor Jones late yesterday afternoon filed a list of delegates to the Republican state convention to be voted upon at the coming primaries. Mayor Jones by this announces that he will be a candidate for governor at the coming convention.

DAUGHTER KILLS HER MOTHER
Because the Latter Tells the Granddaughter a Family Secret.

Chicago, May 5.—Mrs. Augusta Styles yesterday afternoon shot and killed her mother, Mrs. Catherine Schultz. Mrs. Schultz was to attend a meeting of the Martha Washington Frau-Verein at Walcott's hall, and her daughter lay in wait for her in the hallway of the building until she came. Five shots were fired, three taking effect. Mrs. Styles, who is 55 years old, said she was driven to the act by the mother revealing a closed chapter of her early life to Mrs. Styles' daughter, 16 years of age.
The girl's parents were married, and Mrs. Schultz is said to have disclosed the fact to her grandchild. The marriage has been arrested. This is the third crime in two days in which a woman has been involved and the second in which the woman was the homicide. Wednesday Hugo Warden probably fatally shot his wife and then killed himself on account of domestic unhappiness.

SAYS FARMERS SPECULATE
Story on the "Lambs" Who Are Shorn in Wheat Gambling.

Washington, May 5.—Ligand Powers, for eight years labor commissioner of Minnesota, was before the industrial commission yesterday. Powers said that speculation in grain did not affect the prices of it except temporarily, but affect the farmers except so far as they engaged in speculation.
"You don't mean to say," suggested Governor Harris, "that the farmers speculate?"
"They do," replied the witness. "Very largely they are the lambs which are shorn on the stock exchanges. Stop the farmers from gambling and you will stop it all. Three-fourths of the money thus lost is lost by farmers."
He thought that corporations and trusts should be strictly controlled and regulated by law, adding that in his view the country was drifting with "mad frenzy" towards disaster.

Verdict for Half the Claim.
Neillsville, Wis., May 5.—In the trial of the case of Renne vs. the United States Leather company, the jury yesterday returned a verdict assessing the damages to the plaintiff in the sum of \$20,000. Hiran Renne sued as guardian ad litem of Clyde Renne for damages resulting from personal injuries in the sum of \$40,000. The plaintiff while in the employ of the defendant company was thrown from a car while passing through the company's yards by steam pipes extending across the track. Both sides had a big array of legal talent from Madison and the case was hotly contested.

Ex-Speaker Reed in England.
Southampton, May 5.—The American line steamer New York arrived here Saturday. Hon. Thomas B. Reed said to the correspondent of the Associated Press that he had come to Europe for a rest. He was shown a cablegram published here, in which it was stated that he had not resigned his post as speaker of the house of representatives and that he may be a candidate for the presidency. Reed expressed great indignation, and said he regretted that people could not leave his affairs alone.

Pure Food Investigation.
Chicago, May 5.—The senate committee continued yesterday the investigation of adulterated foods. Giles Lewis, wholesale druggist, testified that much adulterated foreign product was sold in this country, and advised laws to stop that. Dr. Wiley was again on the stand and said that all food in which preservatives were used was deleterious to health.

The Weather We May Expect.
Washington, May 5.—Following are the weather indications for twenty-four hours from 5 p. m. yesterday: For Indiana, Fair weather today and tomorrow; warmer; variable winds. For Illinois—Fair weather; warmer in northeastern portion; air tomorrow; winds shift to fresh southerly. For Iowa—Fair weather; warmer in northern and western portions; fair and warmer tomorrow; winds shifting to fresh southerly. For Upper Michigan—Fair weather; warmer tomorrow; brisk southerly winds. For Wisconsin—Fair weather; warmer in southeastern portion; brisk southerly winds. Increasing cloudiness tomorrow; lower—Fair weather today and tomorrow; variable winds.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Grain and Produce.

Chicago, May 4.

Following were the quotations on the Board of Trade today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	8.72	8.72	8.71	8.71
July	8.73	8.73	8.72	8.72
September	8.72	8.72	8.71	8.71
Corn—				
May	33 3/4	33 3/4	33 1/4	33 3/4
July	34 3/4	34 3/4	34	34 1/4
September	35 3/4	35 3/4	34 3/4	34 3/4
Oats—				
May	27 1/2	27 1/2	27	27
July	28 1/2	28 1/2	28	28
September	29 1/2	29 1/2	29	29
Pork—				
May	8.52 1/2	8.52 1/2	8.57 1/2	8.52 1/2
July	8.50	8.50	8.50	8.52 1/2
September	8.57 1/2	8.57 1/2	8.67 1/2	8.50
Lard—				
May	5.07 1/2	5.07 1/2	5.05	5.07 1/2
July	5.15	5.17 1/2	5.19	5.12 1/2
September	5.27 1/2	5.30	5.25	5.27 1/2
Short Ribs—				
May	4.55	4.57 1/2	4.52 1/2	4.57 1/2
July	4.70	4.72 1/2	4.65	4.67 1/2
September	4.82 1/2	4.82 1/2	4.77 1/2	4.80
Produce: Butter—Extra creameries, 15 1/2 cts. per lb.; extra dairies, 14c; fresh, packing stock, 10c; 10c. Eggs—Fresh stock, 11 1/2 cts. per dozen. Live Poultry—Turkeys, 10c per lb.; chickens, 10c; ducks, 8c; geese, 8c. Potatoes—Common to choice, 15c to 20c per bu. Sweet Potatoes—Illinois, 25c to 30c per bu. Apples—Common to fancy, 25c to 50c per bu.				

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, May 4.
Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 22,000; sales ranged at \$3.15 to \$3.65 for pigs, \$3.55 to \$3.75 for light, \$3.45 to \$3.60 for rough packing, \$3.60 to \$3.80 for mixed, and \$3.65 to \$3.85 for heavy packing and shipping lots. Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 3,000 quotations ranged at \$5.25 to \$5.50 choice to extra steers, \$4.55 to \$5.15 good to choice do., \$4.25 to \$4.60 fair to good, \$4.00 to \$4.20 medium do., \$3.90 to \$4.15 butchers' steers, \$4.15 to \$4.25 fed western steers, \$3.80 to \$4.00 feeding steers, \$2.70 to \$4.15 cows, \$2.20 to \$3.50 heifers, \$2.70 to \$4.15 bulls and oxen, \$2.75 to \$5.50 stags, \$5.75 to \$4.50 Texas steers, and \$4.00 to \$6.50 veal calves. Sheep and Lambs—Estimated receipts for the day, 12,000 quotations ranged at \$3.80 to \$5.15 westerns, \$3.75 to \$5.10 natives, and \$4.70 to \$6.00 lambs.
Milwaukee Grain.
Milwaukee, May 4.
Wheat—Easier; No. 1 northern, 72c; No. 2 northern, 71 1/2 cts. Oats—Stronger; 29 1/2 cts. Rye—Higher; No. 1, 62 cts. Barley—Dull; No. 2, 44 cts; sample, 39 cts.

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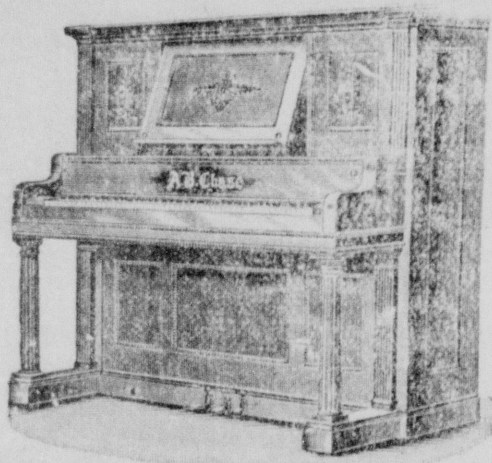
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Schley or Sampson.

A controversy between the friends of Admirals Schley and Sampson began in Congress when their names came up for honorable mention and the public generally was much at sea for some time as to which of these great sailors and heroes should have credit for the destruction of the Spanish fleet at Santiago. Admiral Sampson gave his account of the affair in which Schley's warship, the Brooklyn, the flagship at the fight, as Sampson was absent that morning, in which Schley and his ship was on a diagram placed in the rear of certain other ships, but the captains made a diagram giving the Brooklyn the lead in the fight. This looked as though Sampson did not intend to give Schley proper credit. However we now have "The Story of the Captains," in the Century Magazine for May, throws direct light upon the merits of the controversy between the friends of Admirals Schley and Sampson, and settles once for all who fought the battle, won the victory, and deserves the credit. The narratives of Captain Cook of the Brooklyn and Lieutenant Eberle of the Oregon, whose story is approved by Captain Clark, bear more intimately upon the part played by Admiral Schley than those of the others, for obvious reasons, though they are strengthened by references both in the stories of Captain Evans of the Iowa and Captain Taylor of the Indiana.

The gist of this testimony says the Chicago Tribune, shows Schley was in command of the fleet, gave the orders, signals, was in the lead from the time Cervera's vessels came out until the Colon surrendered and the battle was ended, and that the Brooklyn did its full share in the destruction of every vessel except the torpedo boats, with which it did not concern itself, because it was after bigger game. It is due to Admiral Sampson to say that the disposition of the vessels of the entrance was his, and that the order, "If the enemy tries to escape the ships must close and engage as soon as possible, and endeavor to sink his vessels or force them to run ashore," was his also, and with this his connection with the battle ends. The man who fought the battle and won it was Schley.

The flagship New York left its station at 9 a. m. July 3, Admiral Sampson having an engagement with General Shafter at Siboney, flying the signal, "Disregard the movements of the Commander-in-Chief," and it did not return until the Colon surrendered and the crews were cheering for the victory. It made the signal to return and guard the harbor entrance, and that was its only signal. After the New York left Schley was in command, with the Brooklyn flying his flag. At 9:30 a. m. the Iowa signaled the enemy coming out. Schley was at once in his place by the conning tower, "as the best position for communication, and from which he could observe the movements of the fleet and direct the signaling." The Spaniards came out in the following order: Maria Teresa (flag), Vizcaya, Colon, and Oquendo, the destroyers Furor and Pluton following later. Within five minutes from the discovery the Brooklyn opened fire upon the Teresa. It has been charged both mealy and falsely that Schley showed by his movements he was trying to get out of an exposed position, when the truth was he was maneuvering to head off the enemy. Captain Cook of the Brooklyn explains this. In his own words: "The Brooklyn was turning rapidly with port helm and continued to turn, firing all the time with the port battery, and following around until the starboard battery was brought into action. Our tumbling in sides enabled us to maintain a continual fire while turning." As one observer expresses it, "The Brooklyn was spitting fire." When the Brooklyn was through turning and spitting fire it was in its proper place, the lead, and it was followed by the Texas, Iowa, Oregon, Indiana and Gloucester. It was in the lead at the start and in the lead at the finish. It did its part in the destruction of the Teresa. It was engaged with the other three Spanish vessels when the Oregon shot out from among the battleships like a race horse, came up "to within about 600 yards of the Brooklyn, and maintained a position from that to within about 2,000 yard until the end of the battle." At no time was the Brooklyn anywhere but in the lead.

After the Vizcaya and Oquendo had hauled down their flags the chase for Colon began. It was 12,000 yards away, and a swift vessel, but both the Brooklyn and Oregon steadily gained upon it. The Oregon was running at top

speed, with forced draft, but the Brooklyn did not have all its steam, as one main and one auxiliary boiler was not in readiness. After running about fifty miles from the entrance the Colon was within range. The 8-inch shells of the Brooklyn passed over its stern at 6,800 yards, and when a 13-inch shell from the Oregon at 8,000 yards whistled near it the Colon turned to the beach and hauled down its colors. The Oregon had the heavier guns, but the Brooklyn at the finish was 2,200 yards nearer. The Brooklyn was in the lead at the close of the battle that morning, as it was when the first gun was fired. It assisted in the destruction of every one of the Spanish vessels, and that it was in the thick of the action is shown by the fact that it was struck twenty times by whole shots, while the rigging, flags, and halyards were cut by flying projectiles high above decks.

Captain Cook of the Brooklyn says: "Every officer and man knew his duty in battle and did it. It was my simple duty to push the button and their work was done." The man who pushed the button for the whole fleet was Schley, and the man who led the way and kept the lead was Schley. It was Schley who so handsomely congratulated Captain Clark with the signal, "Well done, brave Oregon," after his 13-inch shot had brought down the Colon's colors. It was Schley who afterwards modestly said: "There is glory enough for all of us." How much ill-feeling and needless controversy might have been saved if Admiral Sampson had taken the same generous view of the situation.

The "Story of the Captains" should now end the controversy. The friends of Sampson have boasted that when the fleet captains told their story it would show that the credit of the battle would belong to Sampson. They have told it, and no one can read its stirring details without the conviction that the credit belongs to Schley.

Railroad Matters.

The Northern Pacific has purchased the old Seattle, Lake Shore and Eastern road between Medical Lake and Davenport.

The directors of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad met in Boston and declared a quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent.

D. Cunningham has been appointed Superintendent of the Northern Division of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad, with headquarters at La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Gross earnings of the Milwaukee road for the fourth week in April were \$875,717, against \$847,769 for the corresponding week last year.

The Burlington's new refunding scheme contemplates providing a balance of several millions of dollars in the company's treasury to be available for improvements and extensions. In the North Platte Valley extensions are to be built which will make tributary to the road a good section of cattle lands and shorten the route of travel between Denver, Deadwood and Bismarck.

The weighing of the mails, which was undertaken by the government nearly a month ago and is still going on, reveals the encouraging fact that the increase in the amount of mail matter now going through the mails over the corresponding period of the last weighing, is not less than fifty per cent. On the Northwestern and Milwaukee systems this average holds the same, and the people who are operating the fast mail trains are now rejoicing over the fact, for it will go far towards insuring the excellent service now enjoyed and make it a permanent one.

If experiments that the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific are now making prove successful the time honored engineer's torch, by the light of which he has so long been enabled to examine at night the intricate machinery of his engine, will soon be relegated to the waste pile. The Rock Island has fitted up nine of its engines with incandescent electric lights for the purpose of illuminating the interior of the cab and every other part of the engine. On each side there are thirteen electric lamps, distributed as follows: Four in the cab, one on the back of cab to the rear of the driver to enable him to examine orders, one each for the steam and air gauge glass. The lights in the cab are protected, so as not to interfere with the driver's vision and still throw a good light on the parts to be examined.

The other nine lights are distributed three on each side of the boiler and three underneath the middle of the engine. These lamps are so placed that the trucks and every part of the machine can be seen at a glance. In addition to these lamps the engines are equipped with strong electric headlights.

A Hot Time Tomorrow Night.

Hi Henry's Minstrels.
Music Way Up in "G."
Pleases Everybody,
And Don't You Forget It.
Tomorrow Night.

SPECIAL!

10 dozen Men's Night Shirts, made from New York mills muslin, at 49c each; sold everywhere at 75c.

10 dozen Men's Unlaundered Shirts at 35c or 3 for \$1.00.

15 dozen Men's Cheviot Work Shirts at 49c, worth 75c.

We have the BEST OVERALL for 50c ever shown in the trade.

Fresh Invoice of Lace Curtains!

An elegant line of WASH GOODS, including Dimities, Precalles, Ducks, Striped Piques, Embroidered Linen Ogandies, French Ginghams.

R. W. THOMPSON,

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Successor to Thompson Bros!

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The Keyes Furniture Rooms,

66 and 68 Main Street, Telephone 161.

Largest Furniture House
in Northern Illinois.



Our Men's
\$2.50 and \$3.00 Shoes

owe their popularity to the fact that they embody perfect fit and excellent service at a popular price.

To suit all tastes we have them in a variety of styles and all the new lasts.

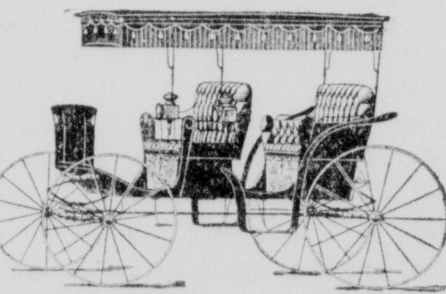
The materials used are black and brown Vici Kid, with kid or vesting tops, and black and tan calfskin. All are Goodyear Welted and made up in the latest styles.

They will please the man who wants to keep up to the times in footwear without unusual outlay.

The "GOLDEN RULE" Shoe Store,

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FORD BROS., Managers



One Hundred and Ten
Buggies and Surries

on the first order this year. By buying in large quantities these goods were secured at very LOW PRICES, and will be sold CHEAP.

Elegant Rubber Tire Jobs

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C. J. ROSBROOK, 65 First St.

A Top Buggy at \$38.75. A Surry at \$65.00.

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Strawberries, Raspberries, Blackberries, Peaches, &c., at 15c per jar or 2 jars for 25c.

3 pound can of Raspberries, CHOICE fruit, ... 15c or 2 for 25c
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Fresh Vegetables, All Varieties!

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Try our Marshmallow Walnut, Shrewsberry, Chocolate Marshmallow Cakes; fresh and nice

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about any work you may have to do in our line. We can refer you to hundreds of satisfied customers. Our workmen put

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Just received a fresh invoice of those elegant IRON and BRASS BEDSTEADS. Neat and ornamental, and don't take up much room. Call and see them.

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59 First Street.

CLEARANCE SALE!

Previous to removal into new location.

Having rented the store now occupied by Eli Rosenthal, tobaccoist, No. 21 First street, Dixon, where I will have more room and greater facilities to extend business and the repairs, I offer the whole of my stock of

Clocks, Watches, Jewelry, Silverware,

&c., at COST, to make room for new goods until April 29, when business will be opened up about May 1, in the new location. Everything guaranteed as represented or money refunded.

A. DAVISON,

54 First Street, Dixon, Illinois.

C. S. KRON,

The Tailor,

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Spring Suits!

Satisfaction given or your money refunded.

Pants As Low As \$3.00,

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53 First St. Up Stairs:

Lawn Mowers.

If you are in need of a good lawn mower call and examine our \$2.59 mower. Will guarantee them.

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Telephone No. 127.

GREAT INTER OCEAN SHOWS.

Two Dixon Boys and Their Venture.

Mr. E. S. Baker and Mr. J. W. Hetter, both indigenous to this community, but who for some time past have been in other parts, are with us again for a short time. They are busily engaged in perfecting and completing arrangements for the opening of their vaudeville minstrel show for a week's stand in our city, commencing next Monday, May 8.

The past half dozen years these gentlemen have been in the show business, and the past two seasons have been on the road managing the Royal Palmistry Co., but are now in our city organizing and equipping a troop and show that embodies new and novel departures from anything that has been previously combined and presented in a single exhibition.

The long, extended, and practical experience of these gentlemen in the show business has led them to conceive the idea that if they could put a show before the public which would combine the best, the most catchy and the most attractive features, both of the theater and the circus, they will have met a long felt want that shall assure them of the patronage of the public.

With this idea prevailing, these gentlemen are about to put upon the road, to travel as a circus, vaudeville minstrels, with the special features of a circus on the side. This show will be given under a large canvas. The admission fee will be ten and twenty cents. For this price you can see some of the leading characteristics of the ring and of the stage. You can hear the delineator, the songster and the instrument musician. You can see the tumbler, the acrobat, the contortionist, the juggler, the slight of hand man, the fancy dancers, great feats of strength and daring, and the trained animals.

This company will carry a troop of thirty-six people, seven of whom are ladies. No local talent will be utilized at all, but each and every member of the company is an expert or professional in his line, or to use showman phraseology, each and every individual that is to participate in the nightly performances to be given in our Madison Square next week, is a lone and brilliant star in his or her profession.

The troop while making a stand or while traveling from place to place will be quartered in the special train of three cars that have been fitted up for the purpose of accommodating the troop, and the paraphernalia of the show. There will be two freight cars and one passenger coach. The passenger coach has been neatly fitted up and divided off into culinary, dining and sleeping apartments, while underneath are kennels for storing away the dogs. The other cars will be suitably fitted up and arranged for carrying the necessary equipment of the company. There is no question, but that these people are sparing neither time, pains nor expense to equip themselves, so as to be able to present a first-class show for this price. We wish them the success that usually attends a Dixon enterprise.

College Notes.

Next Tuesday night in college chapel the oratory class will present scenes from "The Merchant of Venice" and the comedietta "Which is Which?"

The president, John T. Ward, announces a regular program in college chapel this evening by the Aurora Literary society.

Miss King, president of the Y. W. C. A., wishes all young women of the college to attend the meeting to be held in chapel Saturday evening at 5:45.

At 6:40 this evening in Room A the Scientific Class, now reading Shakespeare, will hold a special meeting.

In college chapel today at 5:10 the Ladies' Chorus, under direction of Mrs. George C. Heritage, met for rehearsal.

A regular program will be given in chapel Saturday night by the Vespera Literary Society and everybody interested is invited.

Saturday afternoon at Pleasure Park the Dixon college base ball team will meet Rush Medical college team in a base ball combat. Prof. Williamson in his announcement this morning seemed to feel that our boys will wipe the earth with the poison mixers from Chicago and we, of course, are inclined to believe the professor is not dreaming.

Now since our beautiful city so much praised by our recent visitors, has put on its lovely garb of green, why not clean up the streets along the route where the stone walks have been laid? Property owners also will find it to their interest to fix up broken edges of their lawns and clear their premises, especially back yards exposed to public view, of old cans, boxes, barrel, ash piles, etc. Dirty yards in plain view of our best thoroughfares are not only disgrace to the owner, but a detriment to the fair name of our city.

Tomorrow Night.

If you want the best go and see Hi Henry's Minstrels.

HAL SMITH AGAIN.

Letter From the Front at the Philippines.

The following is a letter from Hal Smith who is a private in Co. L. 23d regiment U. S. A. at the Philippines to his brother, Frank L. Smith, of this city:

MANILA, March, 14th 1899.

OLD BRIG:—Well old pal I am back in the post once more, and I am all lighted up once again. Got my kackie uniform on and forage cap. Got my russet laced boots in a no. 1 and feel as though I could write a line or two. We are here for a short rest and we surely needed it. The troops are pouring in and the old bay is once more filled with army transports. Yesterday I witnessed a battle and it was a dirty one. Gen. Loyd Wheatons Brigade, comprising, The 20th and 22 U. S. Inf. 1st Washington 2nd Oregon volunteers and one squadron of the 4th U. S. Cavalry mounted. Advance was sounded at day-break and over the breastworks out of the dense woods over rice fields and up ravines cleared one of the finest brigades in the 8th army corps. To their right Scotts battery of the sixth artillery took a strong position on Cemetery Knoll. Merriens battery on the left center, following the Santa Ann road while on the extreme left the river gun boat Hornet under Major Grant passed up the river under a fearful fire of musketry and took up the enemies rear. The 4th cavalry swinging around on the extreme right like a letter L and the whole line three miles long was on the swing to left so as to cut off all retreat. By 7:30 the whole line was engaged and by 8 the natives were doomed. Seeing their condition they fought like demons, but no one could stand the fire that was poured in volley after volley of musketry, and schrapnell tore their breastworks to pieces, and soon above their headquarters a white flag was seen but I guess no one else saw it for by 9:30 the whole city of quadalope was in flames and in the trenches 1,213 dead were buried, and the wounded was even greater. No prisoners were taken, we haven't room for them. I guess the boys like dead niggers better than live ones, so the old Umbreys have a poor show when our boys get a shot at him.

Our squad of 12 sat on a big hill 24 miles away and without field glasses took in the whole battle. We were glad to see that town go up for we had many a close clip scouting around there. For let me say. The woods were full of niggers. Our loss was light and the natives' was very heavy 318 of the poor devils lay in one of their rifle pits and schrapnell was the cause of it all. Well Brig, I don't feel like writing so I guess I will wait until I do and tell you how it happened. Write me often for if I aint here the mail will reach me unless I am in some other place as hot as this. Well, give my best to all. Tell them to write and kiss the baby for me.

So ques Deos de mur,
ERALDO ERREVA,
or

H. O. S.
P. S. Pay day yesterday and a hot time in Manila last night (sawee).
H. O. S.

MANILA, March 25, 1899.

OLD BRIG:—Well old man I am going to put you to the trouble of reading a few lines. To begin with we just came from the front with 200 prisoners and are awaiting orders to pull out on a moments notice. Since the 25th we have been fighting continuously, we were attached to Wheatons brigade but I understand we are going to join McArthur's or Owenshines on the south line. Wheatons brigade is a tearing across the country toward Malolos sweeping everything in front. Malabon fell an easy victim and with a few exceptions Polo fell almost as easy. It was in this battle Gen. Egbert fell, also 12 of his men. I saw the General as he fell. Our outfit was on the Twenty-second's right and our company was their right guide. Brave old man, that he was. To brave I am afraid. He took to great a risk. It was this way: The enemy held a strong position on a ridge, our advance was ordered to halt, for the right to flank on enemies left, but confident on a charge he sounded forward guide center and fell at first volley along with 12 of Co. B's 22nd Infantrymen. But the charge swept the enemy back and sent them routed toward Polo and the town fell easy prey at 5 p. m. Last dispatches claim we are now 4 miles from Malolos but the enemy is contesting every inch. Our loss yesterday was 14 killed and 72 wounded.

Times are mighty hot. Battles galore along the line and its hard to determine when things will come to a focus. It looks very gloomy at present Dead and wounded coming in every day and night. Many a poor soldier boy has bit the dust since the trouble started and a great many more will follow, but of course war is war and someone has to fall.

We are well equipped now and things move like clock work. Big army corps wagons with 6 mule teams follow up the advance with rations and ammunition and all supplies necessary. The railroad comes in handy and all the dead and wounded are forwarded to Manila in comfortable circumstances. The natives tore track up in places but a body of the engineers are fixing it fast as we advance. All troops are sent to the front by rail and it is a great convenience to us all. We have a large number of prisoners and they keep coming daily. The natives are losing heavily but I guess they will fight it to the end. We just got news of a heavy battle after we left, but cannot give full particulars as its only a verbal dispatch. All we know is the South Dakota's lost a Col. and 2 other officers with 58 men. Well I will write again soon, perhaps, and will close now as I am awful tired.

Yours in blue,
HAL.

GAS HOUSE BLAZE.

One of the Fire Wagon Horses Takes a Slide.

This morning about half past 9 the fire alarm was turned in and before the ordinary citizen was able to locate the fire, our efficient and energetic fire department had made a run of three blocks, laid two lines of hose, each one hundred and fifty feet in length, and had two streams of water concentrated upon the burning timbers that support the roof of the gas house on West Second street. The department did quick work this morning and especially so considering the accidental delay they met with on the corner of First and Hennepin avenue. Here while turning the corner one of the horses slipped and fell. He was dragged some thirty feet over the brick pavement before he regained his feet. But little time was lost here and the fire horse lost the hair on his forelegs, otherwise he was uninjured.

George Smith, the man who usually has charge of the gas factory plant, was off duty today and his substitute can give no definite explanation of the first cause of the fire. He says that it is probable that the oil in the oil cups communicated in some way with the furnace and took fire. The flames from the burning oil soon ignited the rafters in the ceiling and the thing began to look dangerous when our firemen were called, but after their arrival the flames were soon extinguished.

She Comes to Dixon.

In the police court news of the Rockford Register-Gazette we read the following:

Mrs. Keefe-Cullen, in mourning for her late husband, the deceased Patrick Cullen, was again in court this morning. She was given until a 7 o'clock train tonight to go to Dixon.

Come Again.

For why? To see Hi Henry's Minstrels, 50 in number, just from the Pacific Slope. Tomorrow night. Get your reserved seats now.

From the Ashton Gazette.

H. A. Williamson and wife were passengers to Dixon Tuesday evening.

Mark Smith of Dixon has the contract for the foundation of Hamel's block.

Mrs. George H. Aschenbrenner, who has been visiting with her brother in Chicago, stopped here on her way home to spend Saturday with her mother.

Our saloons close Saturday night to remain closed for at least one year. For the benefit of the thirsty we would mention the fact that our town well is filled with an inexhaustible supply of water which is theirs "without money and without price."

Marriage Licenses.

Name	Town
Herbert G. Hunt,	Malta
Ella M. Fowler,	Lee

Fifty of Them.

The number of people Hi Henry carries and he never has a poor performer of any kind. Tomorrow night.

—Rev. T. F. Dornblaser will speak Sunday evening on "The kind of boys that make good men," and the Sunday evening following on "The kind of girls that make good women."

—A stray horse was wandering about town last night and got caught at the open bridge near the lumber yards. Policeman Ball with assistance got the animal out and left it at Manges' feed shed for the owner, who proved to be Isaac Weaver of the Judd farm. The horse's legs were cut and scratched badly.

—Our dispatches last evening announced the death of Andrew M. Hitt, cousin of our congressman, at his home in N. J. He is a son of the late Samuel Hitt, a pioneer of Ogle county and took a prominent part in the political affairs of Northwestern Illinois, and in 1871 went to Chicago, engaging in the real estate business. His wife, formerly Miss Sibyl Sammis of Ogle county, died at the family home on the west side in 1883.

Bargains in Farm Lands

in a never crop failing section of Minnesota.

A full section (640 acres) of good wild land in Cottonwood county, lie in one body eight miles from Watcom. This will make some one a good stock farm as there is living water that runs from a spring the year around; about 250 acres of this is bottom land which raises the finest kind of hay; there are about 20 acres of this on which the soil is somewhat light; balance good heavy soil. Price \$8.50 per acre. Would like \$1500 to \$2000 cash, balance on time.

320 acres, one of the finest half section farms in Southern Minnesota, nearly all in crop this season. This farm has very valuable improvements upon it—a large house which cost \$3500, one barn that cost \$1000, another barn which cost \$950, has creamery building, four good wells, woodshed, hog house, hog pasture fenced and other out buildings, 12 acres of fine timber. Land all tillable and in good condition. The quarter with the buildings on and choice of either one of two quarters that join for \$10600 This is rented for one third of crop at machine this season. This is a bargain for any one who wants a fine home with a slightly location and all ready for occupancy and under a high state of cultivation.

160 acres in Cottonwood Co.; 100 acres ready for crop, 25 acres meadow, 33 prairie, 2 acres pasture. House cost \$300, barn \$200, granary \$90. Soil black; sub-soil yellow clay; one mile from post office, 1 mile to school. Price \$20 per acre. Easy payments.

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See AYRES For Harness, Lap Robes and Dusters!

Good Hand-made Harness.....	\$10.00 up
Good Dusters.....	15c up
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Machine Oils of all kinds.....	25c gallon up

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Our Clothing Story is short, to the point and convincing: we sell only reliable clothing, and at half the usual profit—we guarantee it to wear satisfactorily. Our stock contains the leading lines of the foremost manufacturers in this country—the most fashionable spring and summer styles, colors and patterns—while every price, without exception, appeals to all true lovers of economy.

Men's All-Wool Suits, in good patterns, light and dark cassimeres and fancy chevrons—splendidly lined and expertly tailored—capable of long wear—made to sell at \$8 and \$9—no such values elsewhere in Dixon the public..... \$6.00

Men's Flax Suits, in nobly fancy cassimeres, tweeds, chevrons, Scotch mixtures and rough serges—sporting patterns and colors—Fine Italian cloth orse getting—an exceptionally large assortment of light and dark patterns perfect in fit, faultlessly made and finished at..... \$3.50

Boy's Spring Vestee Suits, sizes 4 to 8 years old, and boy's double-breasted two-piece suits, sizes 6 to 14 years in new spring patterns and designs: all wool fabrics; good durable lining and by all odds a grand..... \$1.35

Boy's Fine Vestee Suits, in sizes 3 to 8 years, and boys two-piece suits, in sizes 6 to 14 years: made of strictly all wool tweeds and chevrons; handsome patterns and designs; carefully tailored and best lining..... \$2.95

The Largest Stock of Furnishing Goods in the City at the Lowest Prices.

H. & E. Granulated Sugar 20 pounds Saturday and Monday for \$1.00	Cider Vinegar per gallon 10c	Black Strap Molasses Saturday and Monday price per gallon 9c	Plantation Java Coffee Unroasted Worth 22c lb 15c	Flower Pots 10c size for 4c 5c size for 3c Hanging Rustic Effects that sold for 39c 17c	House Brooms Worth 35c Bankrupt price 17c	Ladies' Puff Ties worth 60c Bankrupt price 29c	Cotton Batting Worth 10c per rool 5c	Floor Linoleum Worth 62½c square yard. Bankrupt price 37½c
Mocha and Java Coffee 30c per pound grade, Saturday and Monday 16c	Lewis' Lye per can 6½c	Chocolate Creams Hand-Made Worth 25c pound Saturday and Monday price 11c	Candy Jelly Beans Regular price 25c per pound Saturday and Monday 9c	Hammocks Of various kinds and colors. *Twill pay you to purchase now. 5c	Woven Wood Splashers Worth 20c Bankrupt price 5c	Window Shades In one lot worth to 60c 21c	Odd Pieces of China From sets, plain and decorated, Have been put on Bargain tables at less than maker's cost.	Whittemore's Shoe Polish The 12½c grade 5c

Chicago Department Store

BANKRUPT SALE

ENDS JUNE THE FIRST.

Buy at Low Figures while you have the chance as prices are bound to rise when this sale ends.

THE HAMM DRY GOODS CO.

Groceries		Cotton Dress Goods		Shoes		Clothing	
1 lb. Package Soapine for	7c	75c new and nobby patterns in Shirt Waist Percales, 15 and 18c goods.	10½c	Men's Veal Kip Shoes, lace or Congress, half double sole, sold for \$1.75, bankrupt price	\$1.13	Men's Fancy Brown Cassimere Suits, for everyday wear, worth \$7.00.	3.33
¼ lb. Package Soapine for	3c	Real French Ginghams, the kind sold in Chicago at 25c, bankrupt price.	14c	Men's Full Stock Seamless, Kangaroo Calf Shoes, lace or Congress, globe or coin toe, sold for \$2.50, bankrupt price	1.83	Men's All-Wool Plaid or Check Suits, single or double breasted, a \$10 outfit, bankrupt price.	5.23
½ pint Bottle Household Ammonia for	3c	A few printed Piques, worth 15c or more at.	11c	Ladies' Vici Kid Shoes, lace, latest coin toe, C, D, E and EE widths, sizes 3½ to 7, former price \$2.25, sale price.	1.69	Men's All-Wool Plaid or Striped Cassimere Pants, usual Price, \$2.75, bankrupt price.	1.27
¼ lb. Package Plymouth Rock Gelatine.	10c	32-inch Percales, checks and stripes, 12½c goods, bankrupt price.	7c	One lot Ladies' Fine Shoes, lace or button, former price \$3, bankrupt price	1.47	Men's Good Weight Hairline Cassimere Pants, all wool, \$3 value.	1.57
1 lb. Package Kingsford's Silver Gloss Starch	7c	Fast Color Shirt Waist Madras, worth 18c at.	11c	Ladies' Fine Hand Turned Shoes, button, former price \$3.00, now.	1.69	Boys Confirmation Suits, gray, brown plaids or solid colors, strongly made, worth \$3.50, now.	1.78
½ pt Bottle Lemon Extract for	15c	Summer Lawns and Dmities, a great lot that sold at 15c and 18c, bankrupt price.	8c	Misses Fine Shoes, lace or button, latest Apollo toe, former price \$2, now.	1.33	Youth's Grey Mixed and Checked Cassimere Suits, sizes 14 to 19 years, a bargain at \$5.50, bankrupt price.	2.53
½ pint Bottle Vanilla Extract for	22c	Laced Striped Organdies in all the delicate shades, worth 20c per yard, bankrupt price.	11½c	Children's Fine Vici Kid Shoes, worth \$1.25, bankrupt price.	1.09	Youth's Black Cheviot Suits, 15 to 19 years, well made and trimmed, worth \$4.65, bankrupt price.	2.78
1 pint Bottle Van Camp's Catsup for	16c	French Organdies that sold at 25c, bankrupt price.	14c	Children's Fine Shoes, button, London toe, sizes 2 to 5, worth 60c, now.	39c	Boy's Irish Frieze Ulster Overcoat, all sizes, worth \$2.50.	67c
½ pint Bottle Van Camp's Catsup for	9c	Full line of the fast color Pieretines, worth 15c.	10c	Ladies' Rubbers, former price 35c, bankrupt price.	13c		
2 lb. Can Burnham & Morrill's White Fish.	9c			Ladies' Best Quality Boston Springheel Rubbers, worth 35c cut price.	8c		
1 lb. Can Armour Corned Beef for	15c			Misses Rubbers, former price 35c, bankrupt price.	11c		
½ lb. Can Lobster for	16c			Children's Rubbers, former price 25c, bankrupt price.	9c		
2 lb. Can Uncle Jerry's Pancake Flour for	9c			Men's Rubbers, former price 65c, bankrupt price.	19c		
1 lb. Full Cream Cheese for	12c						
1 lb. Best Coffee for	22c						
12 Bars Calumet Soap for	24c						
12 lbs. Oat Meal for	25c						
½ lb. Can Cream Tartar Baking Powder for	6c						
½ lb. Can Van Camp's Macaroni and Cheese	12c						
1 pint Bottle Yacht Club Salad Dressing for	15c						
½ pint Bottle Lea & Perrin's Worcestershire Sauce.	19c						
1 pint Bottle Chile Sauce for	19c						
1 pint Bottle Walnut Catsup for	19c						
1 pint Bottle Essence Anchovy for	12c						
1 pint Bottle Mixed Pickles for	12c						
2 lb. Can Union Brand Succotash for	10c						
Groceries		Woolen Dress Goods		Domestics.		Furnishings	
		56-inch Black Clay Worsted, very fine for skirts or capes, made to sell at \$1.75 a yard.	70c	Chocolate Colored Prints, bankrupt price.	2½c	50c Goat Skin Gloves for men.	23c
		54-inch Broadcloth, Green or Black, worth \$1.25 a yard.	69c	Shirt Waists Madras, worth 18c, bankrupt price.	12½c	7c Men's White Handkerchiefs at	3c
		Black or Navy Blue Cheviot, 54 inches wide, fresh from loom, used very much in the larger cities, worth \$1.25.	65c	White Ground Prints, bankrupt price.	3c	\$1.25 Men's Plated Cuff Buttons at	38c
		Cotton Novelty Suitings, worth 15c per yard.	7c	Lonsdale Cambrie Remnants bankrupt price per yard.	7½c	Men's Celluloid Cuffs, per pair.	9c
		50-inch Jet Black Storm Serge, brand new goods, worth \$1.25 per yard, goes at.	69c	Silkalene, 15c quality, bankrupt price.	9c	Men's 4-ply Linen Collars at	3c
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		Boys Base Balls, worth 5c.	2c				
		Jointed Fishing Rods, the 15c ones.	6c				
		Jointed Fishing Rods, the 25c ones.	12c				
		Base Ball Bats, the 5c kind.	2c				
Groceries		Sporting Goods.		Shoes		Clothing	
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yer're blockin up the wye!
An whur are yer ter go?
'Ow the dickens shud I know?
Thur's no one 'ungerin fer yer when yer're
sixty-tew or son!
Yer 'as a fast clawss cherieter, yer don't go
on the boozie,
Yer've got a bit o' strength still left as ye'd
be prard ter yoose,
But ev'rywhur yer awssis fer wuk yer finds as
their refouse.
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Penshing schemes is orf, yer bet!
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things 's too dear.
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So jest yer mawch off quick!
Thur's the work'ouse an the ceme'try—yer've
only got ter pick!
—London Chronicle.

A LITTLE JOKE.

BY RUDYARD KIPLING.

A day or two before Easter I was sitting in my office finishing up some scraps of work and ever and anon casting happy glances at my portmanteau, which stood in the corner. I was just off to spend a fortnight with my old friend Colonel Gunton, in Norfolk, and I was looking forward to seeing him again with great pleasure. We had not met for ten years, and I had never been to his place or seen any of his family. It would be delightful.

The telephone bell rang.
"Oh, confound it! I hope that's nothing to keep me!" I exclaimed, and I rose to see to it.

"Mr. Miller, are you there?"
"Yes."

"All right. I'll come round."

A few minutes passed and then my clerk announced, "A lady to see you, sir."

A remarkably pretty girl of about 18 was ushered in. She stood still some way from me till the door was closed, then she suddenly rushed toward me, all at my feet and exclaimed, "You will protect me, won't you?"

"My dear young lady, what in the world!"

"You're the famous Mr. Miller, aren't you—Mr. Joseph Miller, the philanthropist?"

"My name is Joseph Miller, certainly."

"Ah! Then I am safe!" And she sat down in an armchair and smiled confidently at me.

"Madam," said I sternly, "will you have the goodness to explain to what I owe the pleasure of this visit?"

"They told me to come to you."

"Who?"

"Why, the people at the police station."

"The police station?"

"Yes, when they let me go—because it was a first offense, you know. They said you always took up cases like mine, and that if I stuck to you I should be well looked after."

It was quite true that I had taken an interest in rescuing young persons from becoming habitual criminals, but I was hardly prepared for this.

"What have you been doing?"

"Oh, nothing this time—only a bracelet."

"This time?"

"They didn't know me up here," she explained smilingly. "I've always practiced in the country. Wasn't it lucky? But really, Mr. Miller, I'm tired of it; I am indeed. The life is too exciting—the doctors say so—so I've come to you."

The case was a strange one, but I had no time to investigate it now. It wanted only half an hour to the time my train left Liverpool street.

"What is your name?" I asked.

"Sarah Jones."

"Well, I will have your case looked into. Come and see me again, or, if you are in distress, you may write to me—at Colonel Gunton's, Beech Hill, Norfolk. I shall be staying there."

"Going now?"

"I start in a few minutes."

"Oh, I'll come with you!"

"Madam," I answered with emphasis, "I will see you—out of the office first."

"But what am I to do? Oh, it's nonsense! I shall come. I shall say I belong to you."

I rang the bell.

"Show this lady out, Thomas, at once."

She laughed, bowed and went—evidently a most impudent hussy. I finished my business, drove to Liverpool street and established myself in a first class smoking carriage. I was alone and settled myself for a comfortable cigar. I was rudely interrupted. Just as the train was starting, the door opened—and that odious young woman jumped in!

"There! I nearly missed you!" she said.

"I can hold no communication with you," I said severely. "You are a disgrace to your—er—sex."

"It's all right. I've wired to the colonel."

"You've wired to my friend, Colonel Gunton?"

"Yes; I didn't want to surprise them. I said you would bring a friend with you. It's all right, Mr. Miller."

"I don't know who you are or what you are, but the Guntons are respectable people and I am a respectable man."

"That's no reason why you should

promenade up and down, Mr. Miller. It's very uncomfortable for me."

"What is the meaning of this insolent behavior?"

"Why not be friendly? We're off now, and I must go on."

"I shall give you in charge at the next station."

"What for?"

On reflection, I supposed she had committed no criminal offense, and with a dignified air I opened my paper.

"I don't mind your smoking," she said and took out a box of chocolates.

I was at my wits' end. Either this girl was mad or she was a dangerous and unscrupulous person. She was quite capable of making a most unpleasant and discreditable commotion on the platform at Beech Hill station.

What in the world was I to do?

"Shall we stay long at the Guntons'?" she asked.

"You, madam, will never go there."

"Oh, yes, I shall!"

"Indeed, you won't. I'll take care of that. The police will see to that."

"I don't care a fig for the police. I shall go and stay as long as you do. They told me to stick to you."

I became angry. Any man would have. But nothing was to be gained by losing my temper. I took out a sovereign.

"If you'll get out at the next station, I'll give you this."

She laughed merrily. "I thought you went in for personal supervision, not mere pecuniary doles," she said.

"I read that in your speech at the charity organization meeting. No; I'm not to be bribed. I'm going to the Guntons'."

"It's absurd. It's preposterous. What will—what will Mrs. Gunton say?"

"Oh, she won't mind!" answered my companion, with a confident nod. "She's used to girls like me."

"You surprise me," I retorted sarcastically, but she only laughed again.

I returned to my paper.

An hour passed in silence. The train began to slacken speed as we neared the station next before Beech Hill. She looked up and said:

"Would you really rather I didn't come with you?"

I had passed a wretched hour. This girl was evidently bent on blasting my character.

"Madam," said I, "if you will get out at this station, I'll give you a £5 note."

"What? I heard you never gave away a farthing! They said no one could get a penny out of you."

"It is true that I disapprove of indiscriminate charity, but under the circumstances I—"

"Think I am a deserving object? Well, I'll take it."

With a sigh of relief I took a note from my pocketbook and gave it her.

"I'll pay it back soon," she said.

"Never let me see your face again."

"Apologize for me to the Guntons. Goodby."

She jumped out lightly, and I sank back murmuring:

"Thank heaven!"

After I got rid of her my journey was peaceful and happy, and I forgot my troubles in the warm greeting my old friend Bob Gunton and his wife gave me. The girl must have lied about the telegram; at least Bob made no reference to it. He had a fine family of boys and girls and presented them to me with natural pride.

"That's my lot—except Addie. She's gone to see some friends, but we expect her back every minute. They keep me alive, I can tell you, Miller."

After tea my host and hostess insisted on taking me for a stroll on the terrace. It was a beautiful evening, and I did not mind the cold. As we were talking together I heard the rumble of wheels. An omnibus stopped at the gate.

"Ah, the bus," said Gunton. "It runs between here and our market town."

I hardly heard him, for, to my horror, I saw, descending from the bus and opening the gate, that girl!

"Send her away!" I cried. "Send her away! On my honor, Bob, as a gentleman, I know nothing about her."

"Why, what's the matter?"

"I solemnly assure Mrs. Gunton and yourself that—"

"What's the matter with the man? What's he talking about?"

"Why, Bob, that girl—that barefaced girl!"

"That girl! Why, that's my daughter Addie!"

"Your daughter?"

The little minx walked up to me with a smile, dropped a little courtesy and said:

"I knew, Mr. Miller, that it wasn't true that you would refuse help to a really deserving case. The others said you would, but I thought better of you."

And she had the effrontery, then and there, to tell her parents all about it!

I think parents are the most infuriated class of persons in the community. They laughed, and Mrs. Gunton said:

"How clever of you, Addie! You must forgive her, Mr. Miller. My dear girls are so playful!"

Playful! And she never returned the £5 note.

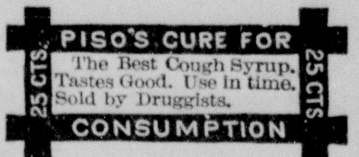
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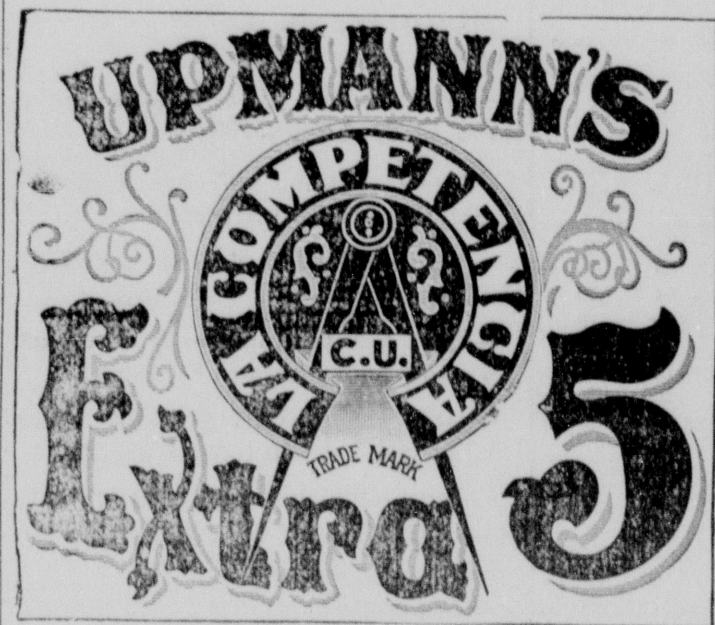
"It is too long," said a third. "Let us cut it shorter," said the fourth; carried nem. con. Down they sat and found it very lively to win or lose so much quicker. Besides furnishing conversation at supper, the thing was new—they were legislators and had a fine opportunity to exercise their calling.—Short Whist.

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—L. H. Martin is here from Rockford.

—G. H. T. Shaw goes to Des Moines tonight.

—T. R. Hibbard of Milwaukee is in our city.

—William Lawrence has gone to De Kalb.

—Mrs. Hastings is visiting relatives in Sterling.

—S. E. Johnson has returned from West Brooklyn.

—E. E. Chase and N. E. Jewett are up from Amboy.

—Aaron Book of Galt, Whiteside county, is here today.

—Eleventh street west of Peoria avenue is being graded.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes visited in Sterling Wednesday.

—George Krug and Joe Webster were here from Ashton.

—Austin Tayman came home yesterday from Oelwein, Iowa.

—Daisy Leggett has gone to her home in Hogerstown, Md.

—W. T. Schell, jr., of Polo is registered at the Bishop House.

—Mrs. Catharine Bell has returned to Sterling after a visit here.

—Andrew Heaton of Pine Creek is the father of another baby boy.

—C. F. Alkey stopped over here on his way from Clinton to Freeport.

—Miss Emma O'Brien and Miss Southworth went to Rochelle today.

—George Smith of North Galena avenue was taken suddenly ill last evening.

—Mrs. Mary A. Lawton of Palmyra is able to be around after a short illness.

—Miss Louise Dodge will entertain the Young Peoples' Whist Club tonight.

—Martin Overholser of Coleta celebrated his ninetieth birthday, Friday, April 28.

—Remember the cake sale at the C. J. Rosbrook store tomorrow afternoon by St. Agnes Guild.

—Clinton Sennell, who has been teaching at Compton, is in the Freeport bakery for the summer.

—Miss Margaret Willsey of Sterling was married there last evening to Dr. Frank H. Allen of Stamford, Nebraska.

—Engineer Robert Bell, of the Illinois Central, has been called to Canada by the news of the death of his mother.

—Mrs. James Bayne and daughter Katherine have returned to Warren, Ill., after a short visit with Mrs. Longdon and daughters.

—Mr. and Mrs. Tim Duffy leave this evening for Kenosha, Wis., to attend the funeral of Mark F. Mathews, nephew of Mrs. Duffy.

—During the storm on Tuesday the belfry of the Presbyterian church at Oregon was struck by lightning, but not much damage done.

—John W. Gill of Freeport is seeking a divorce from his wife Mary L. Burroughs whom he married in Platteville, Wisconsin, twenty three years ago.

—Advertisements changed this evening: Carpenter & Weaver; Loveland & Stiteley; Anna L. Geisenteimer; Greenawalt's Quality and Bargain store.

—A full page advertisement of the Hamm Dry Goods Company will again be found in this paper this evening. They are offering great closing out bargains.

—The water mains on West Fellows street are beginning to thaw out. A break was yesterday repaired and they will soon have water the full length of the street.

—The regular monthly council meeting will be held in the lecture room of St. Paul's Lutheran church on Saturday evening. All members are urged to be present.

—Attorney H. T. Wilcoxson of Chicago, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Wilcoxson of Freeport, is to be married May 17 to Miss Fannie Diantha Bartlett of Evanston.

—The state banner for the largest camp of Woodmen in Illinois, will be presented to Camp No. 51, of Rockford, at the meeting this evening by M. Quakenbush, of Dundee, one of the state directors.

—Judge Wm B Wright of Elmhurst, one of the state board who examine students applying for admission to the bar, has been secured to deliver the commencement oration to the graduating class of the Dixon College of Law.

—Louis Atkins yesterday purchased a very desirable lot of C. H. Stackpole, located on West Chamberlain street, paying \$525 for same. He is getting out plans for a house costing about \$1,500, which he expects to build in coming summer.

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The floral display in the several rooms was very beautiful. In the hall were yellow tulips and the fireplace above and below banked with lilacs. In the drawing room and library were American Beauty roses. The central piece in the dining room was of pink roses and the table dressed in ferns and pink ribbons, draped from the chandelier and fastened at each corner with a bow and a bunch of roses. In the several rooms up stairs were wild flowers, apple and plum blossoms in profusion, filling the house with fragrance. The young ladies assisting in serving refreshments in the dining room were: Misses Barge, Wynn, Soule, Georgia Steel, Bess P. Eells, Nan Hunt, Christine Squires, and Anne Steel. It was nearly eleven o'clock when those who took part in the German (thirtyeight couples) were ushered to the spacious and perfectly appointed ball room in the third story of the house. Besides these who took part there were a score or more of guest who remained to see the pretty figures executed. Fred L. Murray had charge of the German and he proved himself an adept at leading, and the evolutions were many of them very beautiful. A large quantity of dainty and pretty favors were furnished and these were presided over by Miss Bailey of Clinton, Iowa. Music was furnished by Prof. W. H. Smith's orchestra.

During the dance eight or ten couples at a time visited the dining room, where several married ladies assisted in the serving of refreshments.

Guests from out of town were: Dr. and Mrs. Mayo of DeKalb, Miss Bailey of Clinton, Iowa, Herbert Hicks of Rockford, Pearl Herlick of Polo, Burton Boyden of Sheffield, B. R. Hager of Sterling, J. H. Blodgett of Chicago, Thomas Hedge, jr., and Henry Dodge of Burlington, Iowa.

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